GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
RAILWAYS
LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:4545
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DOUBLING OF VASAI DIVA RAIL LINE
CHINTAMAN NAVSHA WANAGA

Will the Minister of RAILWAYS be pleased to state:

(a) the progress made so far regarding doubling of Vasai-Diva Rail line under Central Railway;

(b) the time by which the said work is likely to be completed;

(c) whether the Government have decided to start Mumbai suburban trains on this rail line on completion of work; and

(d) if so, the details thereof ?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS (SHRI O.RAJAGOPAL)

(a) and (b): The section from Vasai to Bhiwandi has already been completed. The work on Bhivandi-Diva is in progress and likely to be completed during 2001-02.

(c) and (d): At present there is no proposal for EMU suburban services to start on this section, on completion of the doubling work.